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ANDREW HENRY INTERIORS **BLENDS ASIAN HERITAGE WITH CLASSIC STYLE IN LUXURIOUS FAMILY HOME**

Appointed by the owners during the construction of an elegant 6-bedroom home in Sevenoaks, Kent, Andrew Henry Interiors set out to create a home with distinct living spaces for relaxing, socialising, studying and playing. Incorporating their existing Asian influenced furniture and art and the philosophy of traditional Feng Shui, the client wanted to weave their cultural background and heritage into their home. The interior design, therefore, spotlights these existing pieces, whilst complimenting the arts and craft style of this brand new, lavish home. The property showcases LUXE, Andrew Henry Interiors' elegant, high-end, bespoke service.

BAR/GAMES ROOM

The design team focused on creating an unforgettable social space in this room, choosing an alternative style that would stand out from the rest of the house.

Transporting the family and their guests from day-to-day life to a spectacular destination, a bespoke bar designed by the lead designer and pink and royal blue booth seating placed against a backdrop of floral wallpaper adding tones of green, ensure eccentric flair. Green velvet bar stools tie in with the wallpaper and a pink oversized neon light adorns this wall space, ensuring plenty of wow factor. Eight individual ceiling pendant lights on brass fittings drop down over the bar, creating evening light that replicates the ambience of a cosmopolitan venue.

ENTRANCE HALL

Designed to make a stunning first impression, the entrance hall features neutral colours and bespoke pieces to create a bold statement. White marble flooring with a striking black border, designed by Andrew Henry Interiors, frames the space and a multi pendant mesh steel feature light by designer Arturo Alvarez adds further interest and grandeur to the entrance. The stairs and balustrades were stained to match the wood flooring throughout the house and hand painted silk wallpaper was sourced from China, subtly introducing visitors to the oriental references that run through the home.

Jessica Robins Senior interior designer at Andrew Henry Interiors, comments “We’ve created a space that would make a lasting impression on visitors whilst providing a comfortable, practical home for everyday living. Surprise and dramatic contrast define each space and create a journey of discovery throughout the property and the richness of our designs are also influenced by the property’s historic surroundings. Situated within the exclusive Wildernesse Estate, with a former stately home dating back to 1705 as its centrepiece, we wanted to ensure that this stunning new property also complimented the setting and surroundings.

FORMAL LIVING ROOM

Working with the artwork, coffee table and sideboard supplied by the client, the design team created a sophisticated space for entertaining in this formal living room. Classic style and opulence colour this space with beautiful textured Arte wallpaper used on all the walls and a neutral colour scheme that brings the bright artwork above the fireplace to life. Matching, symmetrical luxurious rugs create further comfort and statement lights have been placed above them, introducing textured glass and brushed gold to the area.

INFORMAL DINING ROOM

As an everyday space used regularly by the family, it was essential that this room was functional and hard-wearing, whilst remaining connected to the rest of the home. Creating a sense of calm and warmth in contrast to the grandness of the more formal spaces in the property, the design team sourced a high-end, mid-century light that ties in with the clients existing chairs and sideboard and an oversized mirror was placed for Feng Shui reasons, inviting energy into the space and reflecting light from the patio area outside.

FORMAL DINING ROOM

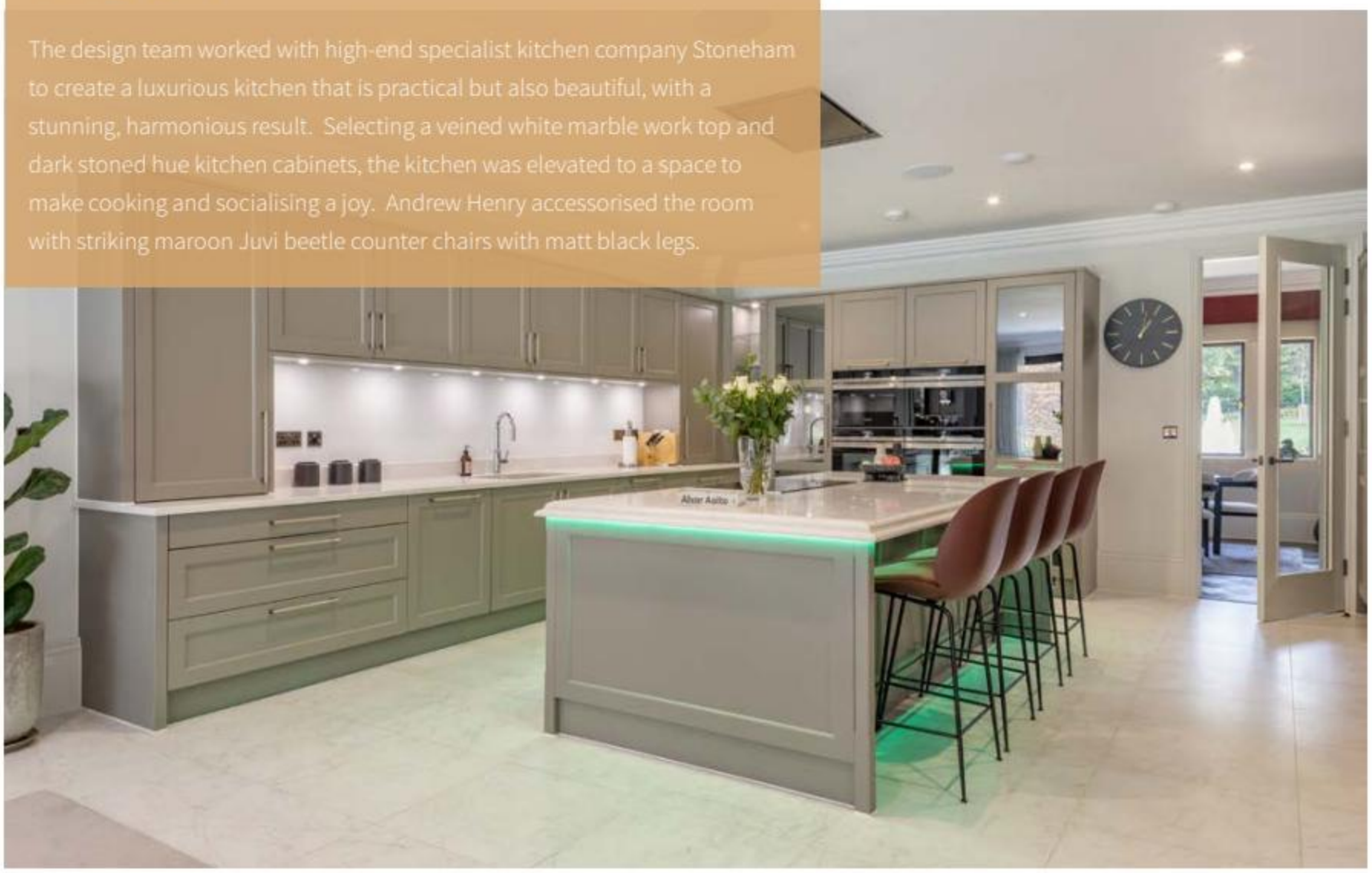
The ambitious design team focused on creating a formal dining space with an oriental twist. The beautiful walnut herringbone flooring, which was selected to run through the whole of the downstairs, is softened in this room by a luxurious light grey rug which rests under an inclusive oval dining table. A fluted antique brass chandelier creates a dramatic effect over this social space. Hand painted silk wallpaper sourced from China creates a stunning backdrop and feature wall and compliments the traditional floor lamp supplied by the family. A burst of colour in the luxury silk curtains adds further texture and ties the space together.

FAMILY ROOM

This informal living space was designed with an oversized matt olive velvet sofa taking centre stage. Combined with a bespoke Julian Chichester media cabinet and anthracite bifold doors, this is the perfect space for the family to relax in. The client's own artwork adds colour and quirk to the playful interior.

KITCHEN

The design team worked with high-end specialist kitchen company Stoneham to create a luxurious kitchen that is practical but also beautiful, with a stunning, harmonious result. Selecting a veined white marble work top and dark stoned hue kitchen cabinets, the kitchen was elevated to a space to make cooking and socialising a joy. Andrew Henry accessorised the room with striking maroon Juvi beetle counter chairs with matt black legs.



MASTER BEDROOM

Andrew Henry Interiors selected a soothing colour palette here, introducing a scattering of warm maroon in rich textures. Again, this room has a subtle oriental influence projected by existing furniture, which has been combined with modern pieces to work with the style of the house, creating a cohesive scheme that resonates with the rest of the property. Delicate Arte wall panels with a distinct oriental pattern add a feminine dimension to the space and a striking bespoke canopied bed is paired with beautiful Visual Comfort lamps. Bespoke apex shutters which can be controlled from the bed were installed to manage daylight and the bed canopy feature ensures Feng Shui rules have been considered, as well as adding sophisticated comfort to the space.

GUEST BEDROOM (BEDROOM 4)

The aim in the guest bedroom was to create an impactful space with a rich, deep colourway. The walls and wardrobes are painted in Farrow and Ball Preference Red, adding dramatic contrast to the white walls and fabric curtains. A luxurious bespoke headboard with wenge border provides further opulence and a nod to the arts and crafts architecture of the house.

TEENAGE DAUGHTER'S BEDROOM

Andrew Henry Interiors created a playful room here using the occupant's favourite colour; blue. Using a mix of pattern, colour and texture to form a more grown-up space to take her into her later teens, the room is a fun and eclectic space that will transition alongside her. The upholstered bed is from Loaf and bespoke shutters were supplied by Andrew Henry Interiors and can be controlled from the bed.

TEENAGE SON'S BEDROOM

The client's son chose the wall colour here, which is Farrow and Ball De Nimes, and the space was then styled around his preference. Again, the designers wanted to create a space that was fun and would age well with the client's needs. An oval rattan headboard, geometric fabrics and stylised bedside lamps were also introduced to make the space memorable.

ADULT STUDY

Situated on the ground floor, this study prioritises practical work space and neat storage. Bespoke his and hers desks and joinery maximise the area and the striking herringbone floor and brass accents elevate the space.

HOME CINEMA

Designed by home cinema experts Sevenoaks Sound and Vision, Andrew Henry Interiors specified and supplied the bespoke black-out curtains in matt maroon velvet made with acoustic cloth and selected the shade of the chairs to go with rest the home.

To ensure the home abided by Feng Shui rules, the Andrew Henry Interiors team familiarised themselves with the practice and applied these learnings to their designs. Integral to this approach, mirrors and headboards were thoughtfully placed to safeguard and support the owners.

Andrew Henry concludes: "It was important to us to not only design the interiors, but to design the living experience of this home, so our approach went beyond aesthetics to incorporate practical considerations. We've created the ultimate balance of luxury and functionality, whilst embracing owner's personal style and history. Maroons and greens compliment the family's oriental heritage and we were mindful of creating a family home of longevity rather than a show home."

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CLIENT & BRIEF

The clients are a large family who wanted to create a home that would be their main place of residence. The client's most important request was to create comfortable spaces suitable for the whole family to spend time together. The other requirements were the sports area, spa and wine cellar.

STYLE

It is impossible to assign it to any one specific style as it contains everything from art deco to urban style.

We experimented with colours playing with the dark floor in combination with a yellow sofa and a bright painting on the ground floor. We created a very unusual staircase with an amazing chandelier and designer banisters which can be classed as the centrepiece of this house. Our designers expressed themselves in various ways, especially with the use of dark coloured metals which were used as a base for this project. The first floor features a burgundy/ cherry coloured flooring leading to the granddaughter's room which is designed in green colours. Next to it is the youngest son's room which looks like a separate loft style apartment with concrete panels on the walls, an amazing photo of New Yok city and industrial wall lights made to exclusive designer drawings. Then there is a master bedroom where her dressing room and bathroom are silver and white with elements of blue and his dressing room and bathroom are brown and beige and resembles in style small houses along the seaside.

LOCATION: Moscow

SIZE: 700 sq m

PHOTOGRAPHER: Mikhail Loskutov @loskutoff

LIVING AREA

Every space is thoughtfully designed to every last detail and reflects the idea at the heart of the project that the bedrooms are not just different rooms but also reflect the personality, interests and tastes of each family member. All this may give the impression of total incompatibility but it is not the case as these completely different spaces together create one atmosphere united by specific elements.

DESIGN TRICKS

This can be identified as the main design technique – all the spaces are created with different moods, colours and styles but they all seamlessly join together. Dark metal is the main decorative element. It is used throughout the whole project and is the main feature.

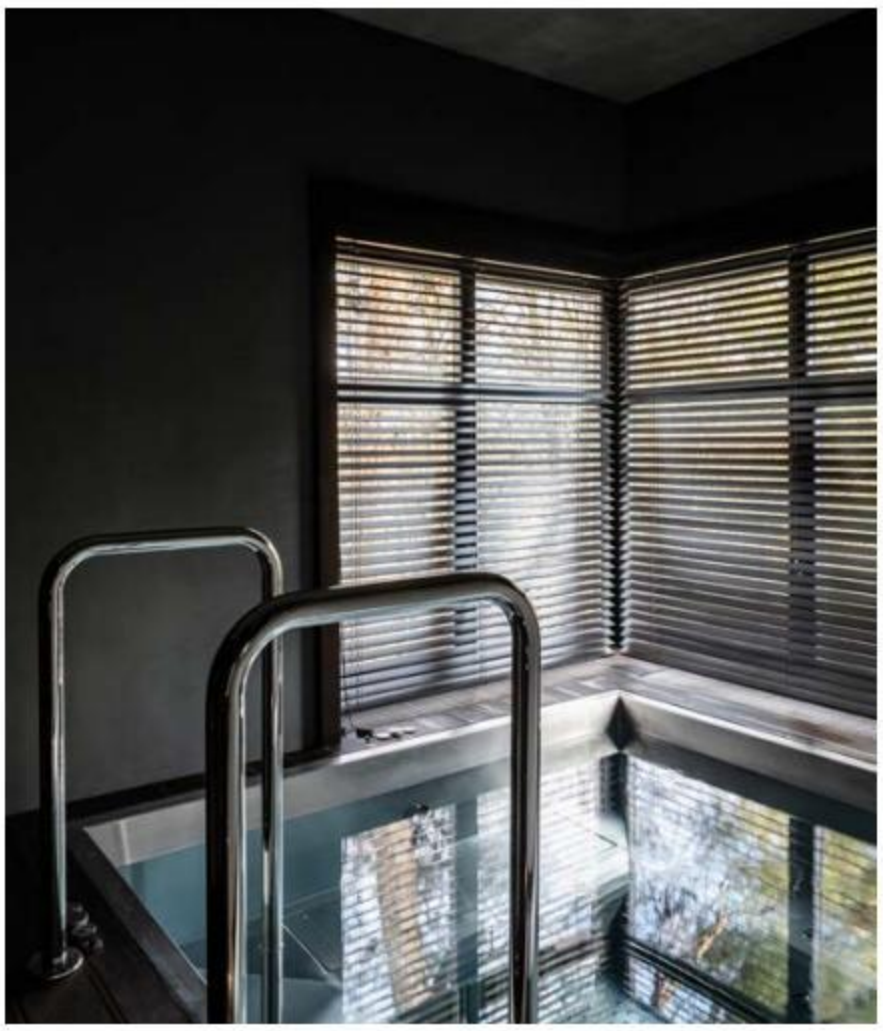
WINE CELLAR

Confirming with the owner's preference to not build a basement in the house we organised a space on the ground level next to the kitchen. The interiors are divided with a transparent floor made of tempered glass.

The textured blued metal on the stairs highlights the graphic black floor and walls. The lack of direct light in the space creates a magical atmosphere of an ancient wine cellar. We were very attentive to the temperature and humidity controls as one of the most critical considerations in every wine-cellar design.

SPA & SPORT AREA

The second floor comprises the spa and a gym that features a large sports equipment area as well as table tennis and yoga spaces. Despite its separateness, it also had to be integrated with the house therefore we decided to finish it in Swiss style. We designed a bespoke hydro massage bath, hammam, spa zone and recreational area. All the spaces are quite cosy and family friendly.



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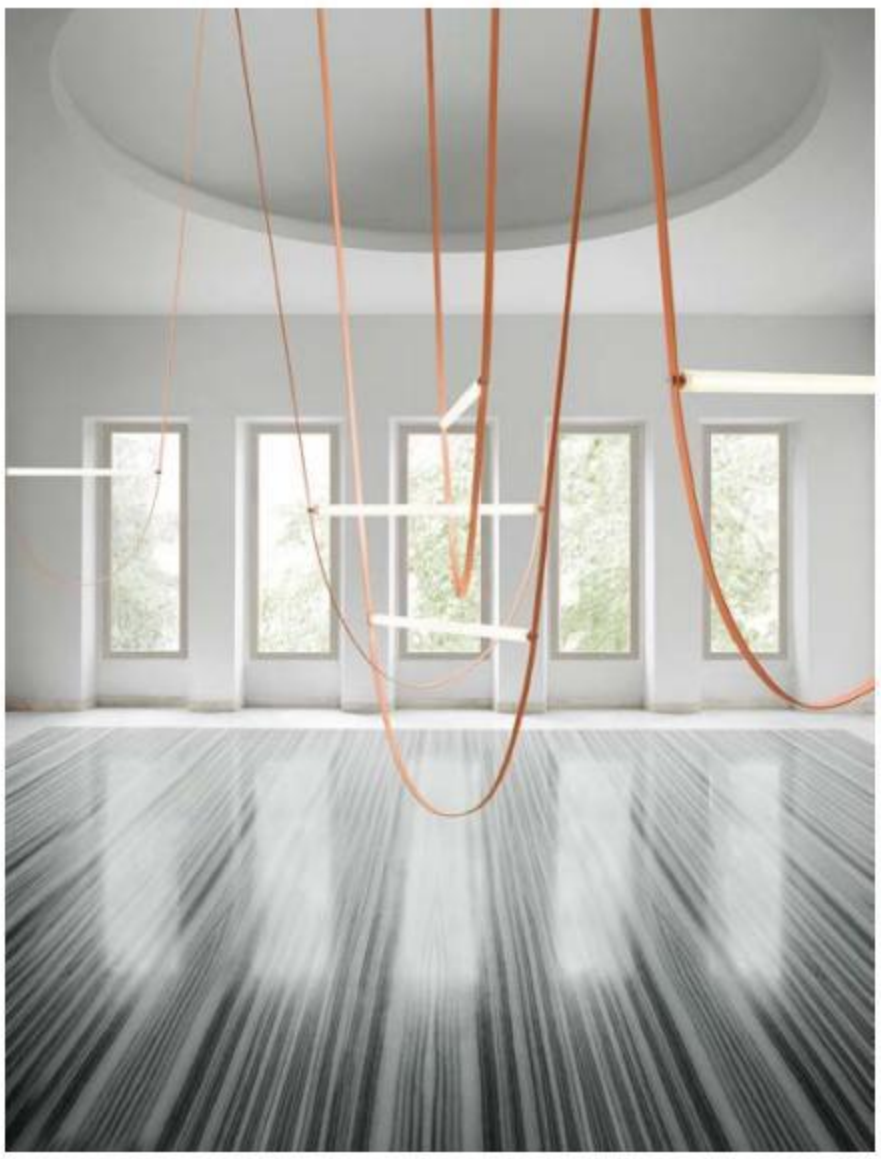

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SHAPES AND GAMES **IN HUNGARY**

For this project in Hungary, the end user spends a significant part of his time in a villa with direct water connection on the shores of Lake Balaton, 45 minutes drive from Budapest.

The covered terrace, which can be opened from 3 sides and can be shaded on all surfaces, serves as an exclusive dining and lounge area, where the family spends most of the day to relax and chill.

The protagonist of this special interior is the dual-function Fusiontables dining table, which invites up to 10 family members or invited guests to an exciting game of billiards after a cozy dinner - while admiring the stunning view of Lake Balaton.

Fusion Tables Design Hungary, the exclusive importer of Fusiontables in the country, has installed the unique configuration: the height-adjustable "MetalLine / WhiteMat / Vintage / REVERSO Rock" table with an EasyLift system built into the legs, the fusion storage cabinet for the clever storage of cues and table tops, the design FUSION chairs and the FUSION bench.

By these lockdown times such a place can become soon a Must to enjoy nice moments with family and friends without leaving the country.

The motto of the Hungarian Fusiontables partner translated into English: "shapes and games", referring to the contemporary and unique design of the Fusiontables dining tables, as well as their versatility.

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DINING ROOM

Table: Joana Aranha Signature (Portoro Extra solid marble

Chandelier: Murano made to measure chandelier

Curtains: Silk (fabric: C&C)

AN AFRICAN PENTHOUSE **ANGOLA . AFRICA**

In this penthouse one feels the luxury in the details, in the choice of raw materials, in the selection of textures. The color shades translate the toasted sun of the end of the day, has it descends upon the waters. That natural filter offers a feeling of living a dream. The entire house is confluence of natural richness. The colors offered by the earth, the fruits, the gold, the petroleum color that paints the doors and of course the jungle animals, that we can almost listen.

KITCHEN

Flooring: white marble

Cabinets: Poggenpohl

It is on the waving between tradition and modernity, that the whites mix with the earth's tones. The golds lean on the animal patterns or the lacquers allow themselves to be enveloped by the velvets. And, without us waiting, it is the artwork of artist Pedro Calapez, with twenty elements, that recalls a flow of memories.

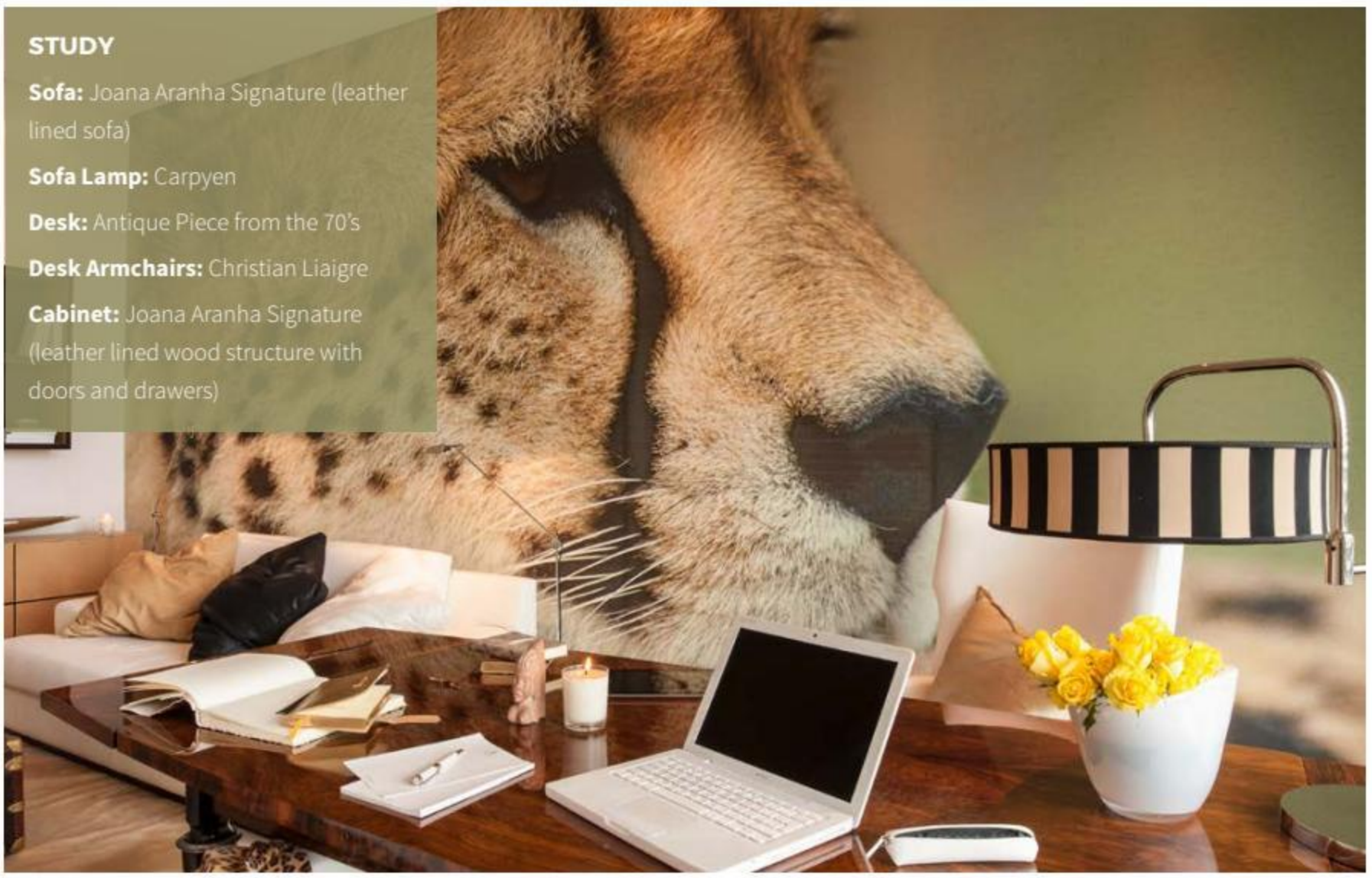
The cheetah, out of scale, is a revisitation of the savannah, contrasting its speed with the calmness lived in this room. The areas of the house are true discoveries, surprises hidden in thought out details, as the 18th century chair dressed with the cloths of ancient indigenous garments. A journey through the natural wealth that inhabits all the continent and brings to mind that we are in Africa.

A compromise is felt with the local culture. The large dimension images of the indigenous necklaces are an example of that, recalling tribes and traditional communities.

But also, the collection of bone combs, made in Africa, that take their place on the wall of the restroom. Here, our eyes are drawn to the manufactured alpaca basin, finalized with elements in bone.

In the main suite, the whites are felt on the sheets but also on the coral pieces. The glasses overshadow the light, the silver tone enhances the energy and the bone pieces, and the earth tones remind us once more where we are. It is through this pathway dusted in white, the spaces interconnect. This feeling of divinity, of deliberate detachment. The idea of optimism, of transcendence.

And, as one least expects, the journey takes us outside. As if we were in deck, traveling in a ship. Here, once again, the richness is in the details. The unexpected gilded chairs, counterpointing the whites, the coconut bowls crowned with this toasted shade of gold. This luxury makes us dream of a warm sunset.



STUDY

Sofa: Joana Aranha Signature (leather lined sofa)

Sofa Lamp: Carpyen

Desk: Antique Piece from the 70's

Desk Armchairs: Christian Liaigre

Cabinet: Joana Aranha Signature (leather lined wood structure with doors and drawers)

TV ROOM

Sofas: Joana Aranha Signature (fabric: Art e Decor + Carlucci)

Side Tables: Joana Aranha Signature (Ebony wood tabletop with beveled mirror legs)

Classic Armchair: 18th century Bergere upholstered with cow leather

Coffee Table: Joana Aranha Signature (wood structure lined in lizard leather with drawers)

Paintings: Pedro Calapez very known Portuguese Artist

Curtains: Silk (fabric: C&C)

On the table: Antique Indo-Portuguese piece

LIVING ROOM

Sofa: Joana Aranha Signature (fabric: Dedar with brown silk detail)

Sofa Lamp: Carpyen

Chaise-Longue: Joana Aranha Signature

Console: Joana Aranha Signature (straight veneer wood structure)

Coffee Tables: Joana Aranha Signature (stainless steel feet with Tiger Eye marble tabletop)

Painting: Resende, very well-known Portuguese painter

Curtains: Silk (fabric: C&C)

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THE BEAUTY OF BESPOKE
INTRODUCING NEWFOUNDLAND WITH DAVID PHILLIPS

Newfoundland is the 'jewel in the crown' within Canary Wharf Group's Vertus Residential leasing portfolio. This 58-storey residential development required a detailed and highly considered design approach; with David Phillips providing a bespoke furniture solution throughout.

"What I found most interesting about Newfoundland is that architecturally it was the most fascinating but also the most challenging - it's a striking building and from an interior perspective, a project we couldn't wait to get involved with." - Nicholas Gill, CEO, David Phillips.

With a brief to create a prime development that could generate a 25% increase over existing rents in the area, David Phillips worked closely with Vertus and the Canary Wharf Group to design a bespoke furniture solution exclusively for Newfoundland over a four-year period. Taking an initial design concept through to installation via an extensive design development stage.

"With such a striking exterior and shape, the architecture played a huge part in influencing the interiors' unconventional typographies. Our design was based on Vertus' aspiration for the interiors to be light, sophisticated and most-importantly contemporary – with a colour palette of bold blues and rust tones that transitioned into a softer palette of powder blues, greens and neutrals as you went through the building. Dark wood finishes, marbles and metal-work helped ensure a refined, cohesive look was achieved that had depth and character." - Mark McDonnell, Head of Design, David Phillips

When developing the furnishing schemes, each piece needed to work within all the apartments to ensure a comfortable layout was achieved. By taking the time to develop bespoke furniture items, such as the use of an angled corner sofa, this helped achieve a nuanced response to this intricate building.

Equally the layout of the studio apartments required the development of a unique freestanding TV joinery unit with rotating screen component. David Phillips long-standing relations with their suppliers ensured they could design, manufacture and deliver a product that would have been a considerable cost saving to the client, compared to conventional fitted joinery.

In addition to providing the furniture for the apartments, David Phillips created furniture concepts for amenity and lobby spaces. The furniture for these areas was designed with a developed understanding of how these spaces are used by residents, with durable contract-grade fabric being used throughout.

The scheme required the development of bespoke furniture and joinery pieces, designed and then manufactured here in the UK. The scheme also incorporated high-end furniture pieces from brands such as Cassina, Lema and Cattelan Italia that were selected, procured and installed by David Phillips. Design details included custom silk rugs, hand-made pendant lighting, luxury games tables, fitted joinery in the gymnasium and luxury outdoor furniture.

The design team at David Phillips added the final finishes to the scheme by providing full dressing and staging of the amenity spaces as well an array of show apartments. Executing the initial design intent through the use of carefully selected accessories that speak to the Vertus' residents profile and aspirational urban lifestyle.

Newfoundland is a testament to David Phillips' ability to deliver on a client brief, from concept all the way to creation, across all elements of a premium BTR development.

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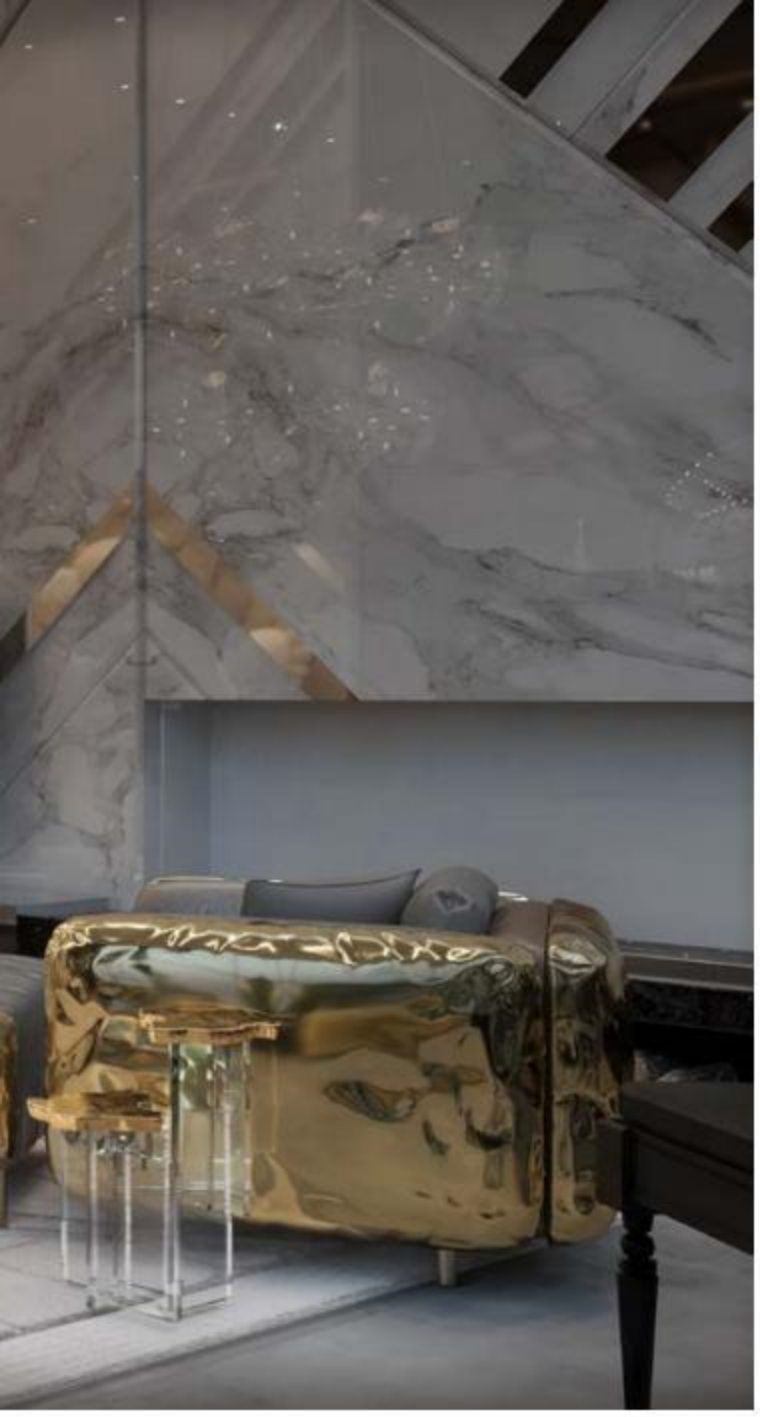
ENTRYWAY

Any New York Penthouse is expected to have a statement making entryway, to welcome guests in the most luxurious fashion.
To achieve such an amusing ambience choosing the right design pieces, patterns and style is key. The big Lapiaz Round Mirror introduces the feeling of an art-filled space, sparking the curiosity of what will come next. The Angra Sideboard is fully covered in black high gloss, and it gently lies in an unexpected curved golden base conceived from hammered polished brass, inspired by the cliffs of the historical city of Angra do Heroismo in Azores Island, Portugal. Paired with the glamorous Soleil Gold Sconces this room is the first look to see when entering a dream, luxury modern penthouse.



LOUNGE AREA

Setting the mood can be a tricky task, but music is almost always the answer. In such a refined interior design project, no detail is left to chance, so a collectible edition grand piano is a must. In order to enjoy a smooth and gathering atmosphere, the imperfectio armchairs provide a soothing and relaxing corner.

LIVING ROOM

A luxury modern penthouse demands an even more luxurious and over the top welcoming space. This opulent environment is surrounded by a monumental marble wall that pairs the gold accents with the beautiful finishes of the design pieces. The Soleil seating set and the imperfection armchair have two completely different styles however complementing in an harmonious elegant way. The metamorphosis center table coupled with the Stonehenge side table bring a nature feel into this artful room, with outraging details that break the mold of contemporary design. Collectible design is essential when thinking and visualizing an exclusive home. The gallery worthy décor is not limited to the Kaws pieces that decorate the gathering area, the imposing Hera Round II Suspension Lamp lights the mood of all of the open space including the chic dining area. The living room design is completed by the amazing White Garden rug provided by our partner Rug's Society.

DINING ROOM

Neutral tones are used to combine multiple design concepts into one cohesive ambiance. Seemingly a simple style, this dining room is filled with unique furniture pieces which are far from ordinary. Starting with the complex finishes of the Soleil dining chairs, that feature handmade gold lions of its back, and the elegance of the bespoke Empire Round Dining Table, both these pieces enhance the majesty that is the Oblong Cabinet, creating the perfect mix between delicate and imposing inspirations.

OFFICE

The office space should be a balance between creativity and practicality, and there is no reason to compromise on either. Taking center stage in this office setting, the custom Boulevard Desk is the example of this duality. The bookcase which covers the back wall of the area defines the professional side, while the pattern in the modern rug combined with sumptuous Venice Wall Mirror and Lapiaz Sideboard appeal to the artistic vein of the work environment. The grandiose Alder Rug by Rug's Society completes this luxury office.

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SAGE GREENS

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BLUE HUES

After the popularity of navy, blue is predicted to flourish, with more tones set to dress our decor.

From notes of cornflower blue in the beautiful floral mural by Sir Edward to the royal blue and gold combo in the 2021 bestselling octopus design by SpaceFrog Designs and the duck egg blue in the faux panel mural, you can expect to see a demand for a rainbow of blue wallpaper murals.

ORANGE WARMTH

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Europe's largest dedicated kitchens, bedrooms and bathrooms exhibition kbb Birmingham, will be returning from 6-9th March 2022. Taking place at the NEC, kbb Birmingham will feature over 300 exhibitors across 26 different product categories, featuring the very latest innovations and cutting-edge design trends in the KBB sector for 2022.

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kbb Birmingham will feature an unrivalled selection of Europe's most established and prestigious brands, well known to the interior design community and all conveniently housed under one roof. Confirmed exhibitors include Quooker, Capel, Electrolux, Davroc and Caesarstone, as well as a number of up-and-coming brands within the sector. Many exhibitors will be offering visitors a first look at their new product launches and sharing the very best in KBB industry trends and award-winning designs. To view the latest list of exhibitors, visit the kbb Birmingham website.

kbb Birmingham Sales Director Jon Johnston comments;
"We are looking forward to reuniting the industry for 4 days of unrivalled networking and specifying. For many of our exhibitors this will be the first opportunity they've had to showcase their latest products and services, following an unprecedented 2 years. kbb Birmingham offers an unbeatable opportunity for the interior design community to meet in-person with valued partners, colleagues and suppliers - we can't wait to welcome everyone back."

COMMITMENT TO SAFETY

Informa Markets, the organisers of kbb Birmingham, have introduced Informa AllSecure, a series of best practice guidelines and industry standards for all event teams to adopt post Covid-19. As a result, there are 2 key differences that exhibitors and visitors will notice when attending kbb Birmingham:

- All aisles have been widened to 4m across the show floor to allow for easier density management and physical distancing, should this be recommended by local government at the time of the show.

- Physical visitor and exhibitor badges will be replaced by digital badges that can be accessed on any smart phone. All visitors will be encouraged to register online rather than registering when they arrive at the event.

Kbb Birmingham Sales Director Jon Johnston continues;
"Our Informa AllSecure guidelines ensure enhanced health and safety standards. Whether they are exhibitors, visitors, speakers or sponsors, we want all our customers to come to kbb Birmingham to connect, learn and do business, safely and with confidence."

The AllSecure best practice standards raise the bar on delivering safe, hygienic, productive and high-quality organised event experiences. This new standard is now being adopted by key stakeholders in the events industry worldwide and will continue to be updated as new ideas emerge. More information on the 10 key principles that make up the AllSecure policy can be found on the kbb website here.

PRODUCT INNOVATIONS

During the four-day event, the kbb Innovation Awards 2022, in partnership with Blum, will also be taking place. The awards honour the best and most innovative ideas in the KBB industry, recognising the most creative and ground-breaking solutions. Entries for the Innovation Awards will be accepted until 14th January 2022, when their panel of judges will create a shortlist of forward-thinking designs to put forward. Visitors will be able to see the shortlisted products at the show to get an essential preview of some of the most cutting-edge product design from the KBB sector. Details around submissions and entry requirements can be found on the kbb Birmingham website.

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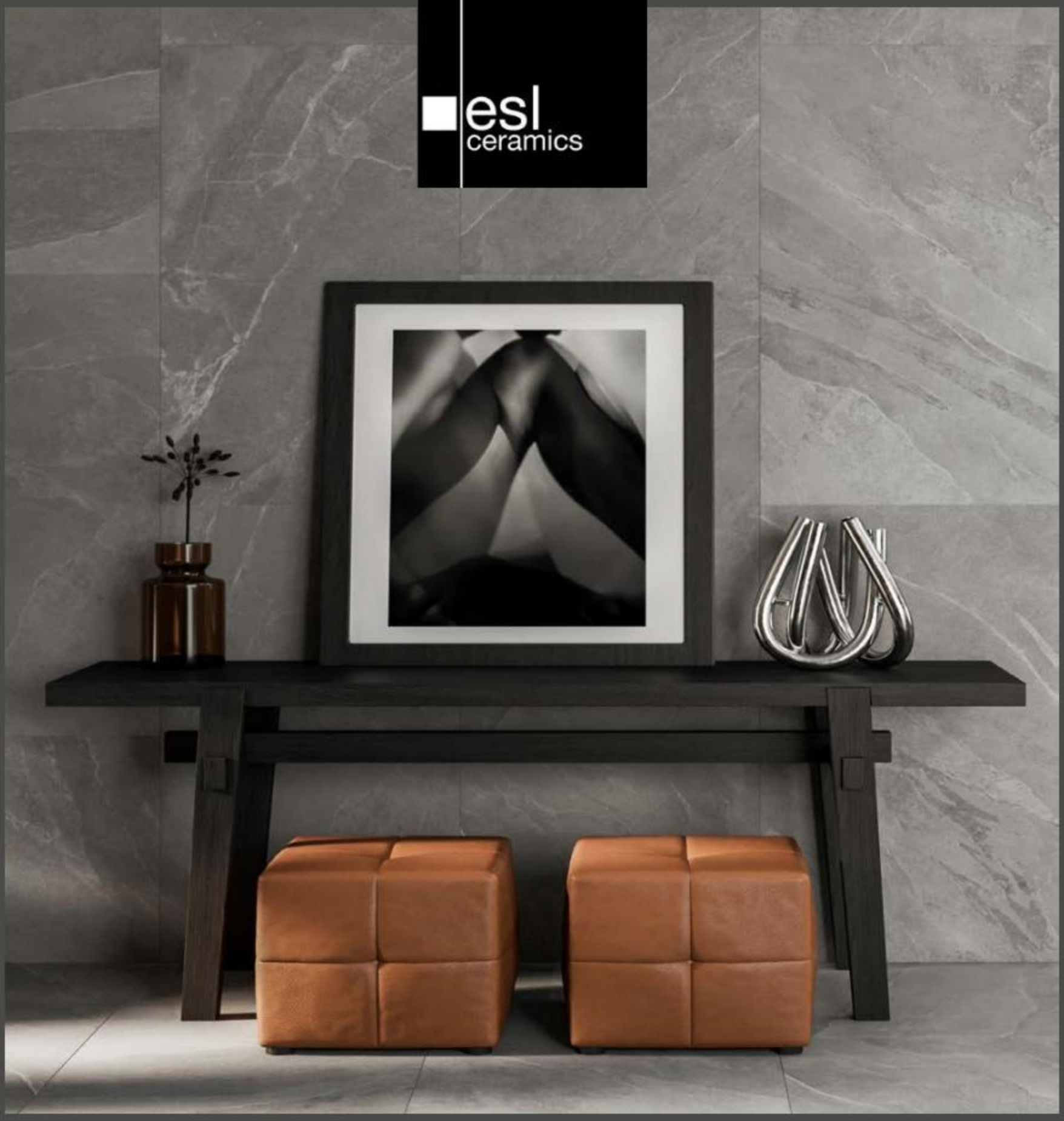

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"Black and white hold a unique ability to transform the bathroom into a classic and elegant space, exuding opulence", says Steven Jaques, Pelipal National Development Manager for InHouse Inspired Room Design. "Black interiors have become highly popular over the past year, and I am delighted that we are now able to offer a matt black finish on our furniture and available fixtures. If you'd like to add black to your bathroom but find black furniture too bold, consider adding subtle black accents by opting for black taps and handles."

CHECK MATE

Black is an incredibly strong colour, which seems to evoke a sense of confidence and strength. White on the other hand, embodies purity, light, and softness. Of course, everyone interprets colour differently, but there is no denying the striking visual contrast between the two colours. When black and white are applied courageously in the bathroom, the result is a bold yet classical look, with lashings of sophistication.

The Series 6010 as pictured above in Black Matt Select, has an RRP from £4534.27 plus VAT (price includes accessories, mirrors and lighting). Available from Pelipal bathroom retailers nationwide. Contact InHouse Inspired Room Design for your nearest retailer.

FLIP THE SCRIPT

If black furniture doesn't take your fancy, flip the script and go for a white finish across furniture, with contrasting black tiles behind. New this year, the Series 6010 and PCON ranges from Pelipal are now available in beautiful Black Matt Select, White Matt Select and much more. These new additions bring a contemporary edge to two classic ranges, with plenty of opportunities to select finishes, fixtures and fittings in line with your personal preferences.

Go dark and mysterious with clean white cabinets, dark tiles behind and tinted glass cabinets. The Series S9005 bathroom as pictured with accessories, wall units and lighting has an RRP from £2,871.00 plus VAT. Available from Pelipal bathroom retailers nationwide. Contact InHouse Inspired Room Design for your nearest retailer.

DARK ACCENTS

Black is the perfect match for natural finishes and minimalist interior design. With the new PCON range from Pelipal, simplicity is guaranteed with innovative handleless fronts and clean boxy lines. Here, matt black basins and a tinted glass cabinet add a masculine touch to balance the soft and natural bathroom.

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DETAIL LIGHTING CASE STUDY
SOUTH KENSINGTON PENTHOUSE

Working closely with established interior designers dkinteriors, Diana Blanchard and Anastasia Antonova Design, Detail Lighting specified the lighting for this impressive South Kensington residential property.

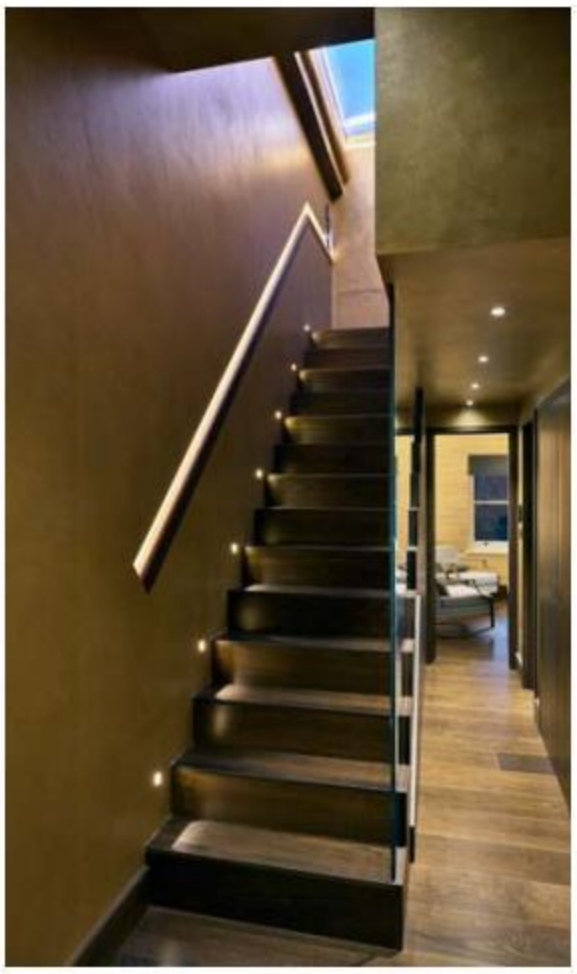
Elevating the ambience of each and every room - from the bathroom suites and an open-plan kitchen to an atrium and walk-in wine cellar, Detail Lighting provided technical back-up and developed bespoke lighting solutions that were strongly guided by the client's likes and dislikes.

Incorporating numerous special finishes and modifications to standard products to ensure the lighting effect was just right, Detail Lighting carefully worked to pair suitable products with the function of each space.

In the beautifully designed contemporary kitchen, where the lighting was especially important to create a bright environment with no shadows, the Corona Pro product was installed alongside discreet undercabinet LED strips to deliver an impeccably lit space. A best-selling product in Detail Lighting's expansive portfolio, Corona Pro was used throughout the property in various wattages depending on the ceiling height, whilst bespoke finishes and colours were provided to complement the interior scheme and paints used.

Statement wall finishes meant carefully positioned and planned lighting was required to minimise the impact of the light products themselves, meaning the eye is drawn to the décor and detailing of the interior. A perfect example of this intelligently planned lighting, a hidden LED was integrated into the staircase to accentuate the handrail, accompanied by trimless cu-blok lights on each step acting as discreet orientation lighting.

Illuminating the walk-in wardrobe and dressing area, linear LEDs were carefully added to joinery and combined with over-head lighting to create a functional and appealing lighting scheme.



Careful consideration was required for this project to ensure a seamless lighting and controls package, to achieve this Detail Lighting worked closely with the AV integration firm and conducted various testing to ensure that the dimming and scene setting would work perfectly and achieve the client's desired aesthetic.

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PALM JUMEIRAH, A RESIDENTIAL CASE STUDY **BY HERITAGE BRASS**

Situated in an exclusive area of Dubai on the striking man-made Palm Jumeirah, sits a stunning, contemporary apartment. This newly built modern home exudes a sophisticated feel, which perfectly matches its glamorous location. Positioned in the heart of the sandy island, the property's expansive sea views are perfect for busy professionals seeking a relaxing evening after a long day in the city's bustling business district.

Having recently undergone a full renovation, Heritage Brass was selected to supply the cabinet handles, knobs and electrical accessories for the project.

Working in seamless harmony, a Satin Nickel finish was used throughout to achieve a sleek and sophisticated feel. With its honeyed grey tone, the finish closely matches the warming shades found within the marble surfaces to deliver a considered interior that matches perfectly.

Choosing white as a base colour, the customer opted for cabinets in a dark navy blue, which brought depth and an added interest to the rooms. Deco Cabinet Pull Handles in a Satin Nickel finish were used in the kitchen, with Victorian Cabinet Knobs completing the cabinetry. This sleek finish was carried through to the bathroom, creating a cohesive look across the apartment. The slim profiled, round edged Studio Range of Sockets and Switches in the matching Satin Nickel finish completed the rooms, ensuring an elegant, considered and contemporary look was achieved in this luxury apartment.

PRICES:

Studio Switches & Sockets in Satin Nickel starts from £25.82

Deco Cabinet Pull in Satin Nickel starts from £14.76

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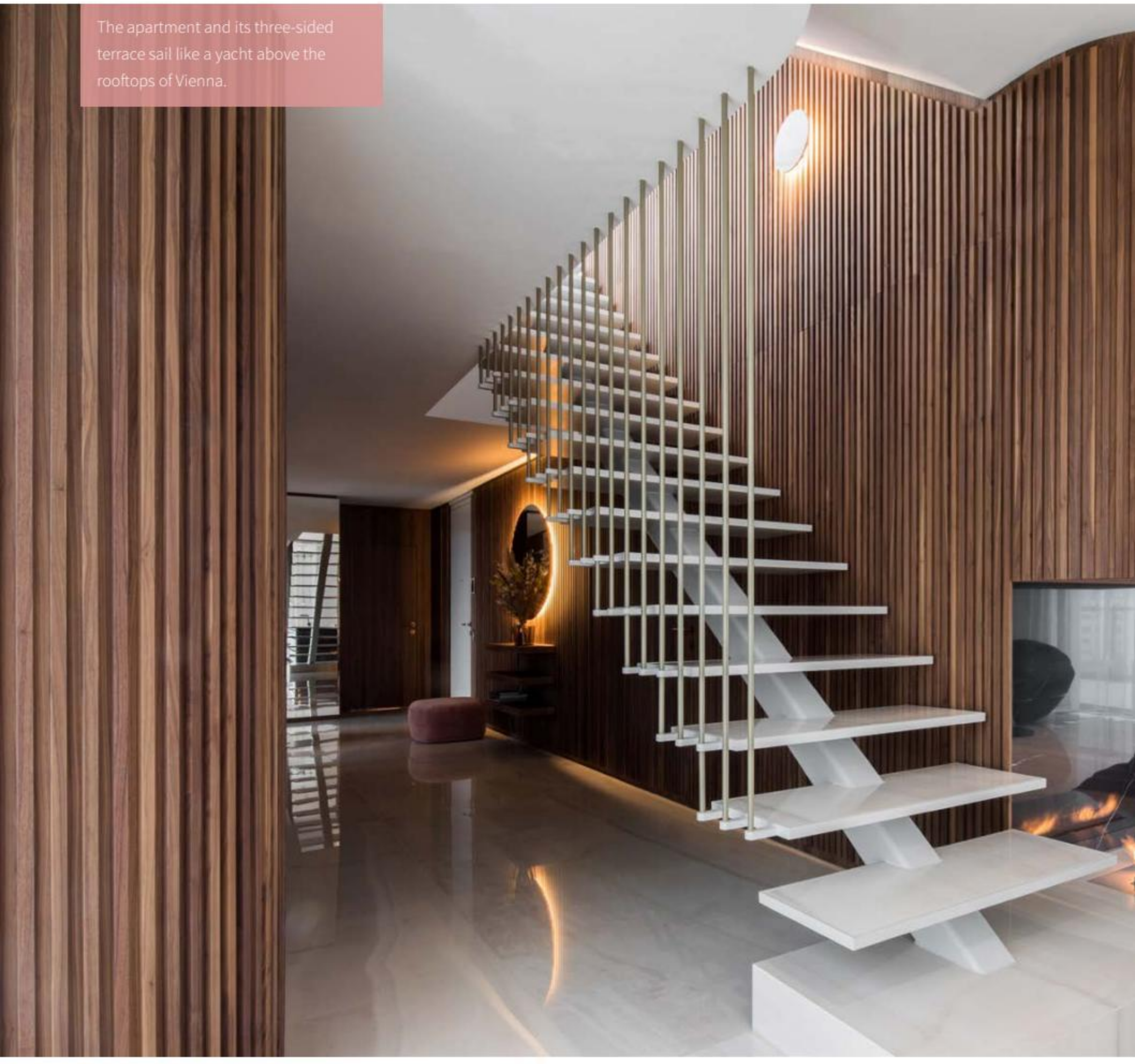

The apartment and its three-sided terrace sail like a yacht above the rooftops of Vienna.

An exciting interplay of luxurious materials and simple forms is the common thread running through the interior of this penthouse. The design is inspired by the location and characteristics of the approximately 165 m2 living area and 380 m2 terrace area, including an outdoor sauna, whirlpool, and infinity pool.

Located on the 9th and 10th floors of a new building, the apartment and its three-sided terrace sail like a yacht above the rooftops of Vienna, and thus also a little aloof.

Many of the custom-made wooden fixtures are perceived as floating – from the dressing room and bedroom with en-suite bathroom, to the boudoir with a luxurious dressing table. Plenty of storage space and many a hidden door have been invisibly built into the wall using laminated walnut. The earthy wood elements form a clear contrast to the floors: shiny bright and large-format porcelain stoneware (with a marble look) in the representation rooms, and high-pile velour in the private rooms. These materials offer subtle nods to the 70s, with backlit mirrors.

The spacious eat-in kitchen also has a ship-like appearance. Behind white high-gloss fronts, its dark walnut interior has been intricately designed, down to the smallest detail.

The central element of the living room is the bioethanol fireplace. Slightly elevated, set in a light marble base, it is backed by a large-format, dark porcelain stoneware wall with a marble look, which, in addition to the flames, also reflects the material aesthetics of classical modernism. The base is also the first step of the metal staircase to the upper floor, whose filigree strut railing takes on a supporting role and makes the structure appear weightless.

Once again, this project was about distilling a coherent whole from the clients' many ideas; focusing their vision and guiding them in their decision-making process.

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TECHNICAL SHEET

Location: Vienna, Austria

Area of project: 165 m2 living area and 380 m2 terrace area (1.800 sq.ft./4.100sq.ft.)

Project Team: Harald Hatschenberger, Sophie Kessler

Client: privat

Photographer: Monika Nguyen

ENTERING THE WORLD OF **FURNITURE DESIGN**

Gray Design has now entered the world of furniture design. The established design and engineering studio is now collaborating with the upcoming furniture studio Makeri Schatull, a collaboration with extraordinary design and quality in focus, "we want to give the fallen tree revival thru extraordinary design and craft beyond perfection so you can feel the revival and fall into oblivion".

Makeri Schatull is located on the Swedish west coast and is inspired by generations of skilled craftsmen. Entering the studio on a misty morning breathing in the scent of linseed oil and freshly chipped wood creates the right atmosphere for new ideas to take form. Every piece is crafted by hand from the first planing to the finishing touch. Years of refined techniques and effort are put into each creation which makes every piece unique. There are simply no shortcuts to this level of craftsmanship.

The Whiskey and cigar cabinet No 21.0, launched spring of 2021 became the start of their collaboration. The masterpiece is created based on traditional methods using smoked oak, limestone slabs and with hand forged brass fittings. It will proudly show your finest collection of whiskey and cigars and if you fell in love with the Whiskey and cigar cabinet No 21.0 we are now honoured and thrilled to reveal that a new masterpiece is in the making. The Cabinet No 22.0 will become a delicate companion to its predecessor.

The successful partnership of Gray design and Makeri Schatull has sparked new ideas on how to refine their future collaboration. In 2022 they will offer a bespoke service, tailored furniture to your own needs. The bespoke service will take the customer on a creative journey together with our designer and the master craftsman from idea to finished product.

We are patiently waiting for new creations and collections by Gray Design and Makeri Schatull.

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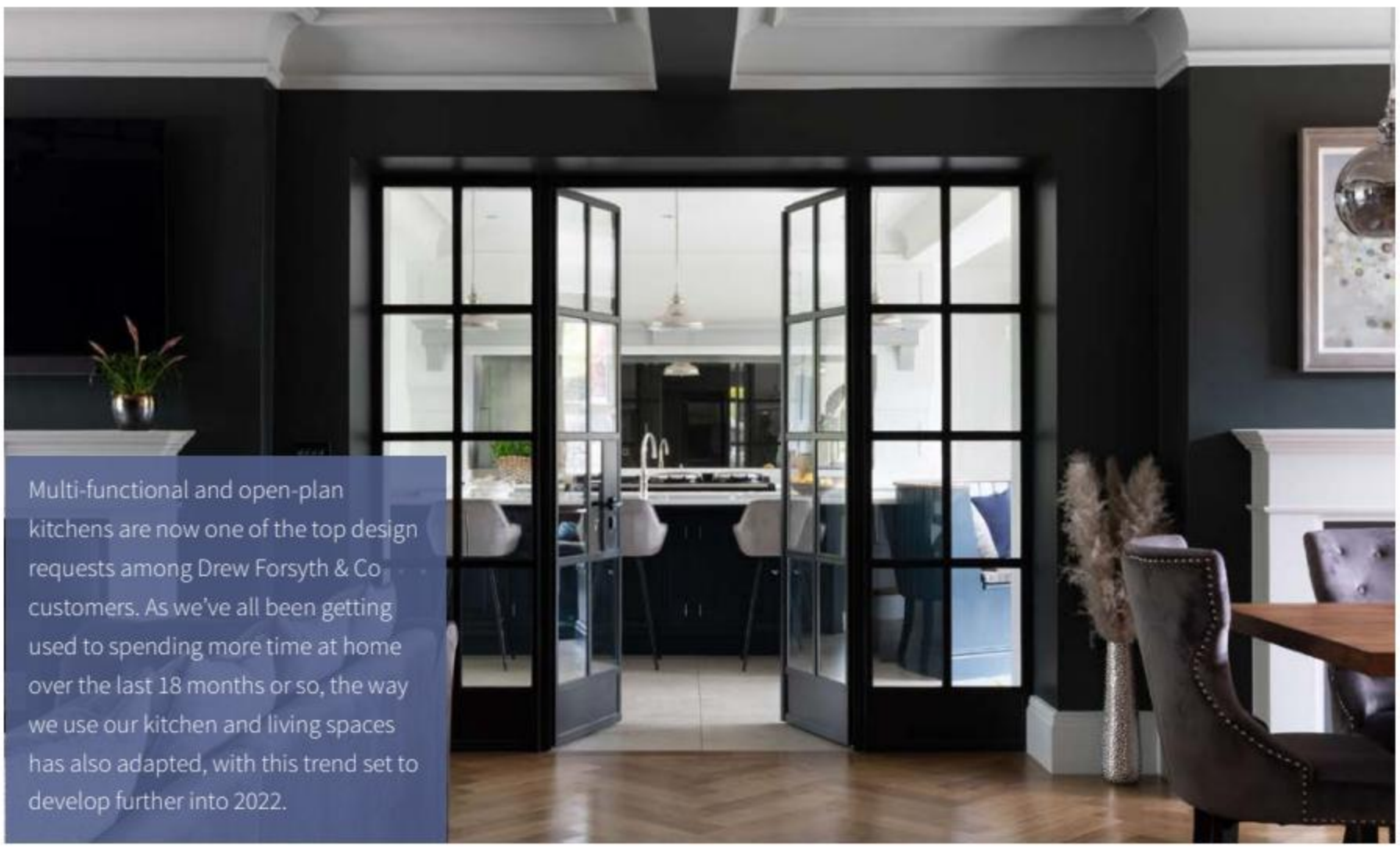
OPEN-PLAN BECOMES **BROKEN-PLAN IN 2022**



Multi-functional and open-plan kitchens are now one of the top design requests among Drew Forsyth & Co customers. As we've all been getting used to spending more time at home over the last 18 months or so, the way we use our kitchen and living spaces has also adapted, with this trend set to develop further into 2022.

"We're predicting a big rise in broken-plan living in 2022, as homeowners seek to create multi-functional spaces with added privacy," explains George Forsyth, MD of Drew Forsyth & Co.

"A lot of projects now ask for an open-plan layout, perhaps merging the living room by knocking the adjacent wall down, and incorporating seating areas and large islands. And now we are seeing a definite shift from open-plan to broken-plan too. This is a likely result of working from home more and the completely open-plan layout now allowing for cosy or quiet areas.

"The good news is that it's possible to have the best of both worlds, by being clever with the use of space and zoning areas to allow for a greater sense of privacy, while retaining the best elements of open-plan, including light, space and flow."

Here are five ways to make a broken-plan kitchen and living space work in your home:

- Use freestanding shelving units or seating areas to act as a natural division between cooking and dining.
- Make use of glass to create a partition without blocking sightlines.
- Incorporate varying floor and ceiling heights to create a split-level layout.
- Use an island or peninsula as a multi-functional way to zone while creating extra storage and worktop space for work, rest and play.
- Create a social space, with a dedicated seating area that can be used for mealtimes, as well as working from home and the kids' homework.

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‘WHITE & NEUTRAL’ APARTMENT

LOCATION: Moscow | **SIZE:** 380 sq m

CLIENT & BRIEF

Among the tasks in the client brief, the main one was to create a light space both in terms of colour and in terms of light. In order to better explain her vision for the apartment, the client took Oleg Klodt to her car. It was the latest model Mercedes S class with light leather seats and finished with nickel, chrome and expensive wood. “I looked at it and said “Understood”” – says Oleg Klodt. The interior turned out exactly like that – light space with a lot of detail, plenty of décor combined with complex textures and unusual decorative solutions.

Living room, bespoke armchairs by O&A London
Rug by O&A London and Tapis de Bourgogne

Nursery, bespoke rug by O&A London

O&A London Creative Director Anna Agapova described the interior style as “American Contemporary Miami Ocean Front”. These associations are not accidental as the apartment resident spends most of her time in the United States and when choosing the design wanted to have the same feel in her Moscow apartment.

FLOOR PLAN

The specific nature of planning for this apartment is in the layout. On the one hand the apartment is very large but on the other hand the entrance is quite strongly shifted to the left. Because of this the overall dynamic of the space is quite horizontal withe windows along its length. However, this layout was beneficial as it added air and light to the space. The team decided to implement axial development of the space from the front door through the hall and into the main kitchen, which created a living area on the way to the bedrooms. Problems were caused by the bearing column but the solution was found by adding another fake column and incorporating them both into one composition with the fire place. This created a sort of gallery emphasised by the rotating lamellas, leading to the living area where the master bedroom, two dressing rooms and the children’s bedrooms are located.

SPECIAL FEATURE - KITCHEN

This project also implements a very contemporary idea of creating two kitchens; one for presentation and another more practical. Usually, this sort of divide takes place in larger houses and is not often seen in apartments but the clients liked the concept and it turned out to be very convenient. The main (white) kitchen is created for family gatherings in the morning to have breakfast and drink coffee and the second (dark) kitchen is for cooking lunch and supper. This way the smell and any mess from cooking are not carried into the living space thus improving the apartment’s aesthetics.

DECOR

One of the most prominent decorative techniques is the French glass positioned in three different places and in completely different styles. French glass art panels are associated with water and sea breeze and always look the part. Modern abstract art in bright colours was also used for placing emphasis and to stand out from almost entirely white interior.

FURNITURE

In this particular interior the designers used quite a few expensive accentuating objects. The most unusual and interesting objects are furniture and rugs by O&A London. A chandelier designed by Oleg Klodt and Anna Agapova is featuring raindrops falling on the table and creating the sensation of freshness and light.

Another important element is the kitchen with a designer island where the table top made from quartz agglomerate moves to the facades which are veined with vertical stone stripes.

Bespoke Frech Glass, design by O&A London

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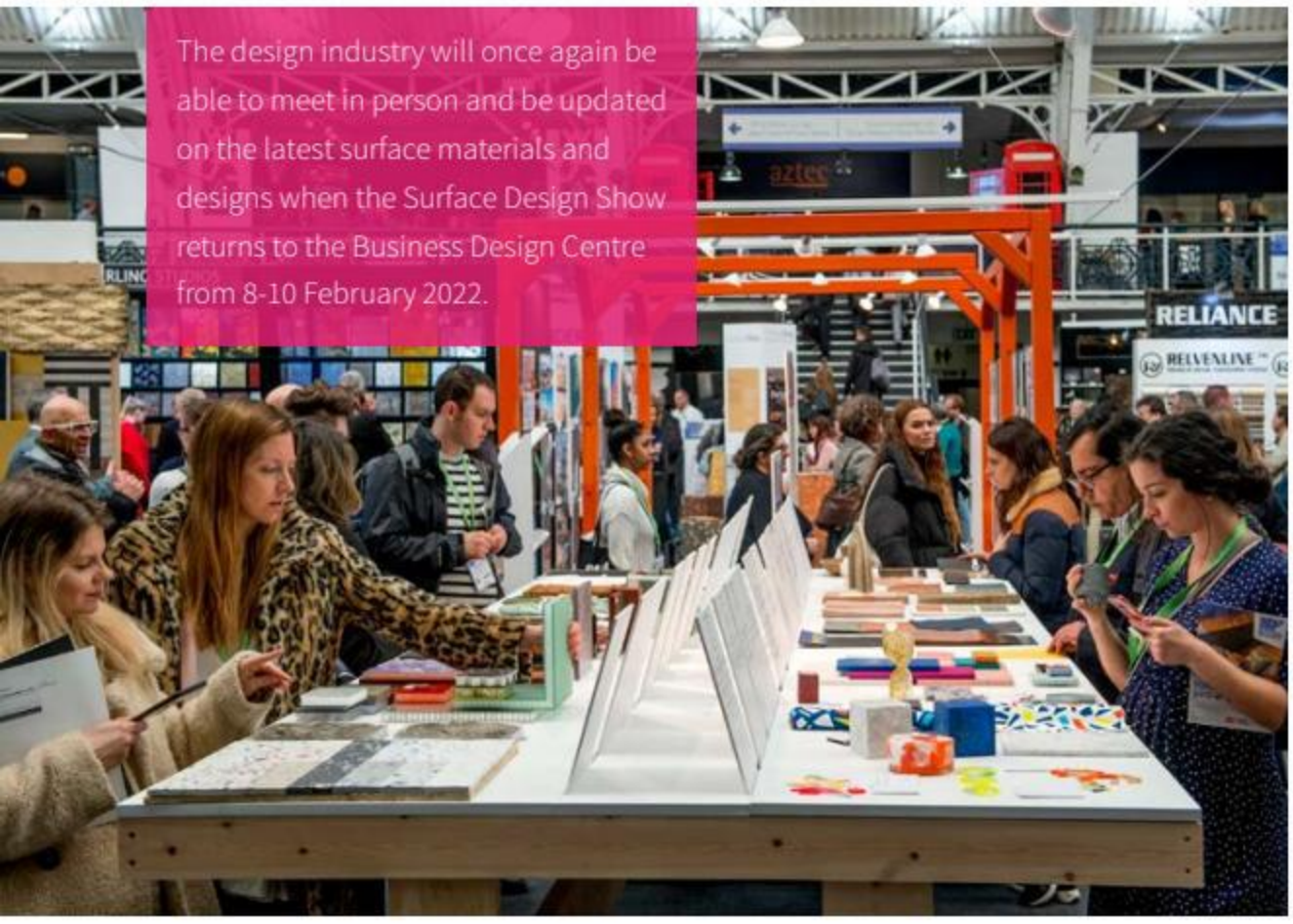

The design industry will once again be able to meet in person and be updated on the latest surface materials and designs when the Surface Design Show returns to the Business Design Centre from 8-10 February 2022.

Over 120 exhibitors will be exhibiting, including 35 new talents at the UK's leading event for architects and designers. Many of the exhibitors will bring to the show a range of new product launches, inspired by the show's theme 'Sense of Place' with the goal of putting humanity and the planets wellbeing at the heart of all decision making.

Surface Matter will be displaying its sweet material pop up shop stand. The stand is inspired by Surface matter's material studio in London Fields which is described by architects and designers as a 'sweet shop for materials'.

Hosting debates, panels, trend forecasts and insights into the latest surface design innovations, the Main Stage is at the heart of the Show. There will be 16 presentations on the Main Stage during the 2 ½ days of the Show. The Opening Night debate highlights a younger generation of architects and designers and is entitled Climate Change and Future Proofing. New to Surface Design Show is a series of Legends Live interviews where an industry personality meets and chats with their 'legend'.

One of the highly anticipated and unique parts of the show is the New Talent section. Supporting new talent is a key focus for Surface Design Show. This year over 30 participants, will display a range of sophisticated and innovative designs, from textile designs featuring augmented reality to 3d tiles of eco resin and waste materials. Many of the participants this year also show a recurring focus of using natural materials and dyes.

New Talent is curated by Trendease International and held in Partnership with Canon UK. Each year visitors also look forward to Surface Spotlight Live, a focal point of inspiration for designers to touch and compare the very latest material prototypes. Surface Spotlight Live will highlight the Show's 'Sense of Place' theme and will be curated again by trend and colour expert Sally Angharad and held in Partnership with CD (UK).

2022 will be the 10th anniversary of the Surface Design Awards which is therefore fitting that it received a record number of entries.

All the finalists, including the new Architectural Photography Award, will be featured on a display stand with Surface Design Show.

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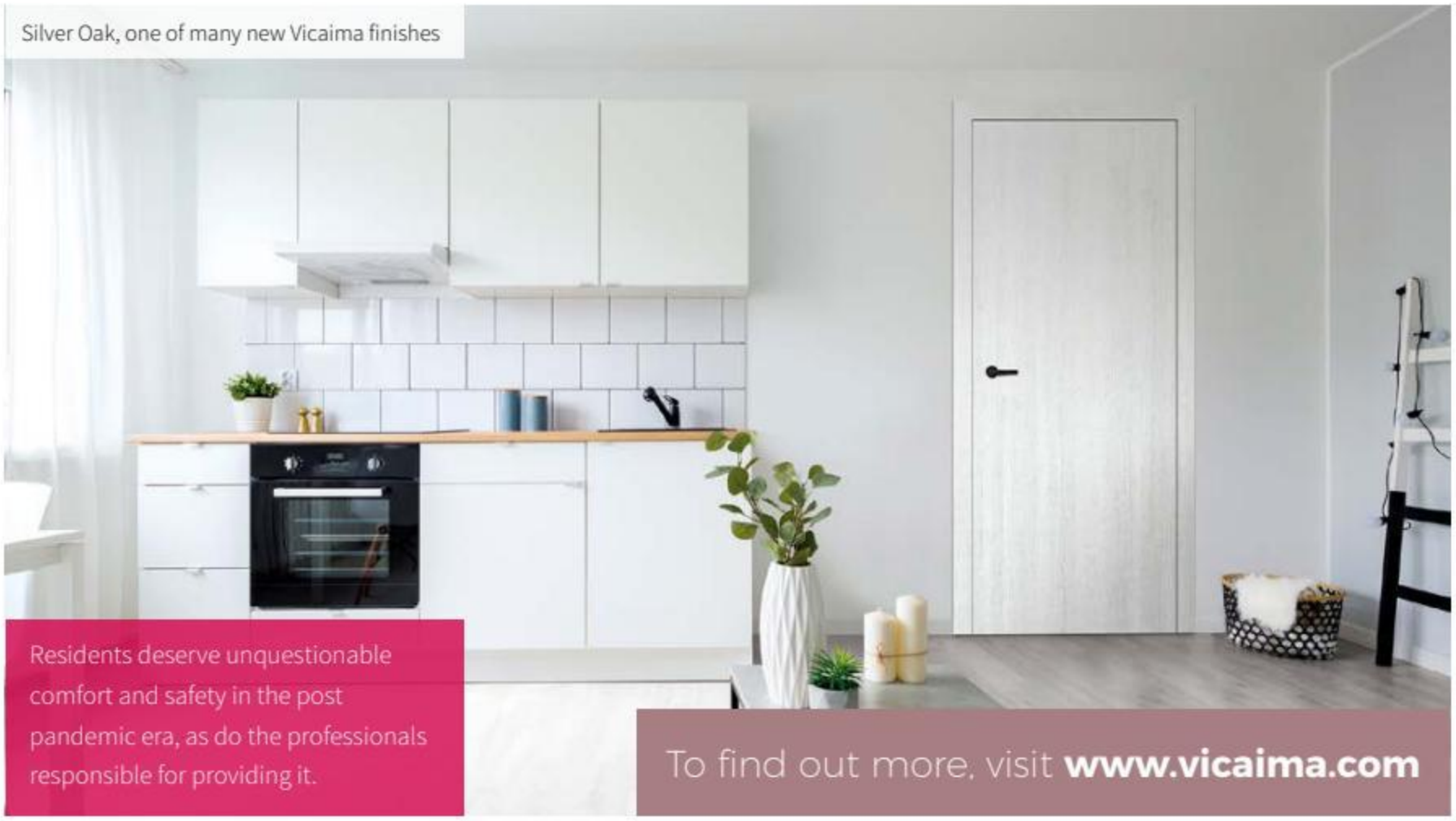

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Many things have changed over the past eighteen or more months since our world was turned upside down. However, perhaps its also true to say that some things such as expectations and fundamental living principles have just been re-evaluated and prioritised into what's important for personal well-being. For tenants and residents living in affordable homes; whether rented or part owned, that can often be distilled into a not unreasonable must have list, which includes: fire safety and security, comfortable and durable surroundings, which demonstrate contemporary design and all of which has real environmental credentials.

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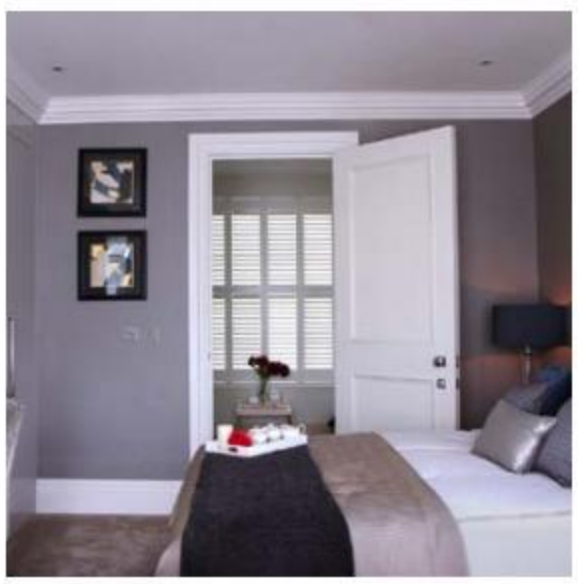

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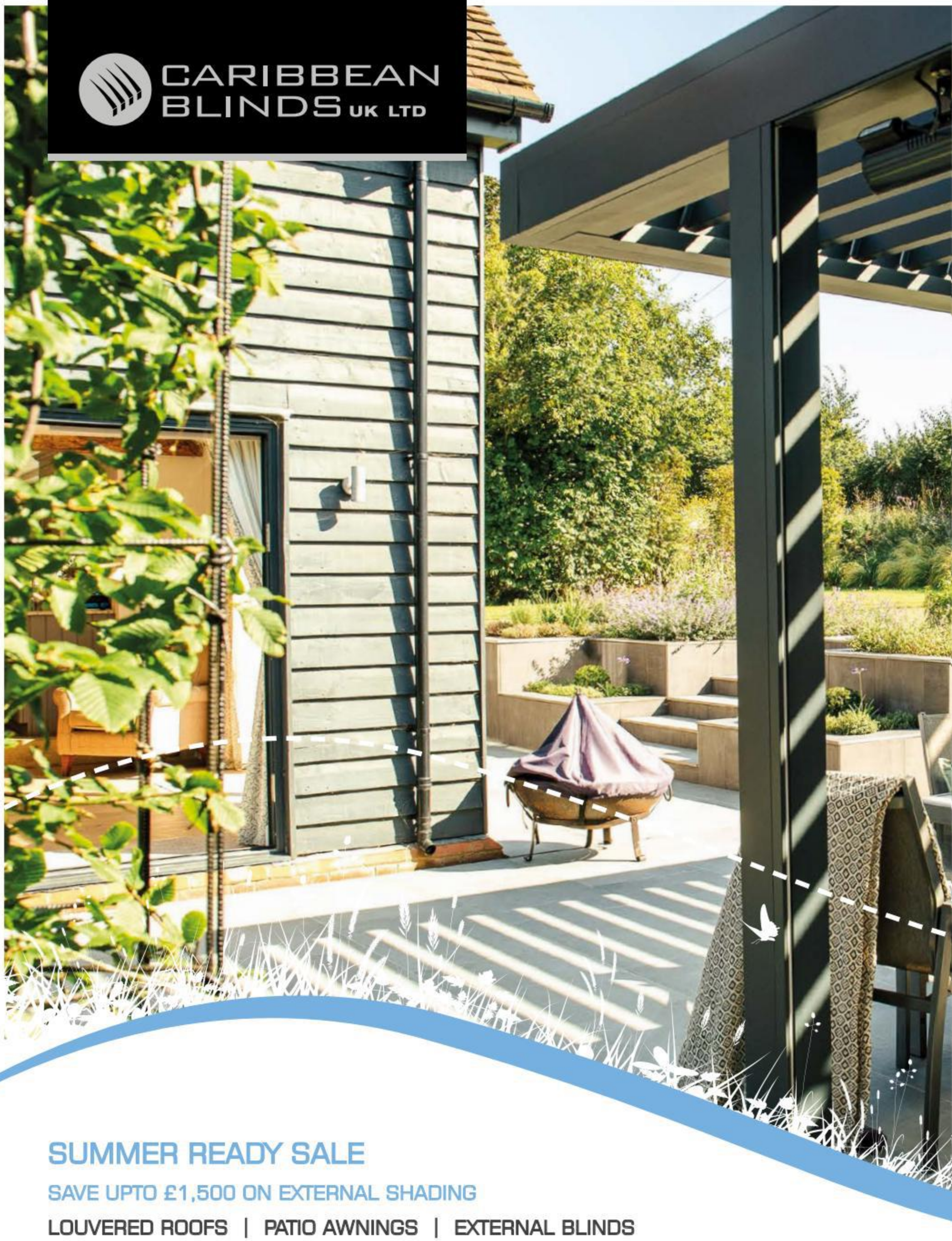

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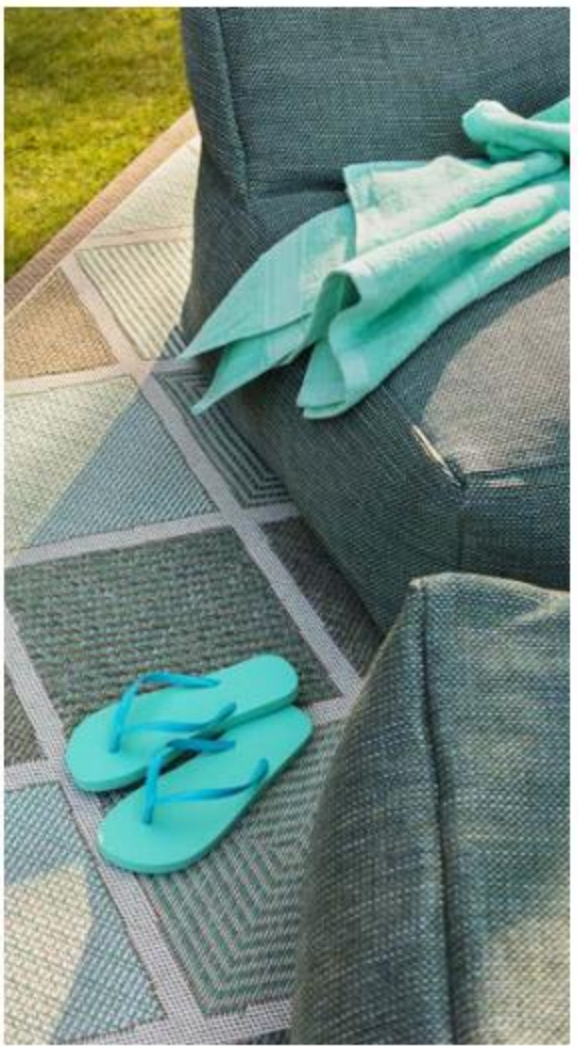

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Delivering an understated and flowing appeal, Fendi Herringbone from the popular Venture Plank collection was chosen for this contemporary and characterful home. Used across the entrance hall, kitchen, downstairs toilet and living room of the house, these exquisite planks exude an effortless feel throughout.

Selected for its popular and on-trend herringbone design, the boards offer the perfect balance of warmth, texture and tone, showcasing a more spacious and contemporary look and feel across each of the chosen rooms.

Delivering complete cohesion, the flooring runs from the large bay window at the front of the property right through to the crittal steel doors in the kitchen at the rear. Perfectly complemented by black accents, classic panelling and a selection of soft-toned accessories, these luxurious boards are the ideal choice for those looking for a design-orientated, minimalist scheme.

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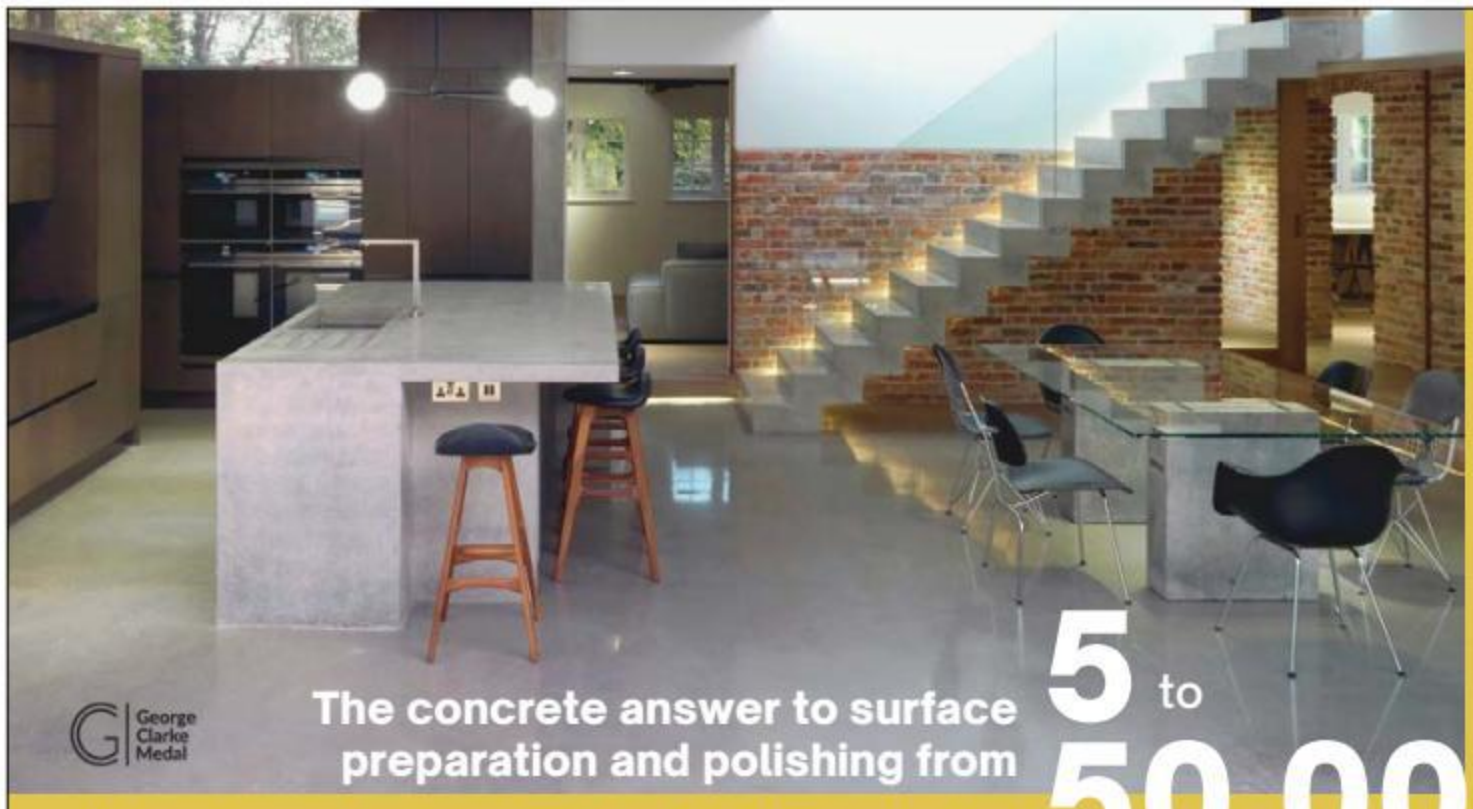

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